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For: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
SECURING HORIZONTALLY
LOADED CARGO UNITS TO A
VESSEL**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2003 entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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